

Great Basin Priority Summary - Based on Most Recent 209's  
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New and Emerging Initial Attack Incidents																	
	AZ-ASD	Lime	Full Suppression	15 mi SW of St. George, UT	80-100	New	0%		T4 IC George Haslett							SMJ, AA, Air tankers	Steep rugged terrain with no road access
	AZ-ASD	Purgatory	Full Suppression	14 mi SW of St. George Ut	50-100	New	0%		Unstaffed							SMJ, AA, Air Tankers	Steep rugged terrain with no road access
	UT-FIF	3 Creek	Full Suppression	12 mi E of Beaver, UT	10-20	New	0%		George Humphreys							2 crews any, engines, water tender	Eagle Pt Ski resort, structures
Ongoing Large Fires – Prioritized for Resource Commitment																	
1	ID-STF	Badger	Full Suppression	20 mi SW of Oakley, ID	89,090	0	12%	10/31/20	Type 2 IMT GB Team 5 Sam Hick	1	2	2	2	2	308	3 crews, 2 SOFR, 2 EMTF, 5 DOZ2, 5 HEQB, 1 DIVS, 1 AOB, 1 COST	Residences & outbuildings are threatened. Camps, campgrounds, ski area, Transmission lines, comm. Repeaters, cultural and natural resources.
2	ID-PAF	Woodhead	Full Suppression	3 mi NW of Cambridge, ID	91,126	0	44%	10/7/20	Type 2 IMT GB Team 4 Tim Roide	4	0	1	0	3	333	2 TFLD	Moderate threat to: residential Ditch Creek, Wildhorse, Crooked River & Hornet Creek areas. Moderate threat to critical livestock forage and high-valued timber.
3	ID-BOF	Buck	Full Suppression	30 mi. NE of Cascade, ID	19,139	0	33%	10/31/20	Type 3 IMT NV Team 1 Sean Whalen	1	2	0	0	0	138	IR flight	Johnson Creek main corridor to isolated communities, Bull trout habitat, private & forest infrastructure



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4	UT-ASF	East Fork (Phinney Lake)	25% Confine 75% Full Supp	13 mi. N of Hanna, UT	66,655	+507	26%	9/30/20	Type 2 IMT GB Team 7 Jeff Knudson	0	1	1	2	5	263	None	Reduced threat to critical water infrastructure for residents in Yellowstone drainage & values at risk in Brown Duck drainage.
5	ID-STF	Trap	60% Monitor 40% Full Supp	9 mi NE of Stanley, ID	2,211	0	27%	9/30/20	Type 3 IMT Stephenson	0	2	0	1	1	139	1-Line Safety	Snags and Highway ongoing concern, some primary structures, outbuildings, Cape Horn Ranch & Guard station, boy scout camp and critical fish habitat.
6	UT-NWS	William	50% Confine 50% Full Supp	2 mi S of Santaquin, UT	5,832	0	49%	9/28/20	Type 2 IMT GB Team 3 Ron Bollier	3	1	2	0	2	278	2 HEQB  Maintain current resources	Moderate threat to private properties, structures, energy infrastructures and I-15 and 132 corridor, watersheds and culinary water systems in fire area.
	UT-NWS	Ether Hollow	7% Confine 93% Full Supp	1 Mile E of Mapleton, UT	849	0	93%	9/23/20	Type 2 IMT GB Team 3 Ron Bollier	0	1	0	0	0	20	Maintain current resources	Minimal fire danger.
7	ID-BOF	Grouse	39% Confine 61% Full Supp	35 miles NNE of Glens Ferry, ID	3,980	0	40%	10/1/20	Type 3 IC R Erne	0	2	1	0	0	89	None	Active State logging unit in Chimney Creek area. BLM & FS timber & infrastructure, cattle & sheep grazing allotments.
<b>Ongoing Long Duration Fires – Not Being Prioritized for Resource Commitment</b>																	
	ID-PAF	Porphyry	Pt Zone Protection	20 mi N of Yellow Pine, ID	17,628	0	0%	10/15/20	Type 3 IMT Josh Erickson	0	0	0	0	0	23	IR flight. Will report out on Friday 9.25	Porphyry Bridge, mining cabins, historic structures, Pilot Peak lookout
	UT-ASF	Center Creek Trail	85% Confine 15% PZP	17 mi N of Mountain Home, UT	1,218	0	0%	9/30/20	T2 IMT GB Team 7 Jeff Knudson	0	0	0	0	1	12	None	Threat of fire movement decreasing.



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	ID-STF	Leggit	Monitor	5 Miles E of Atlanta, ID	820	0	0%	10/31/20	Type 4 IC M. Ganguet	0	1	0	0	0	1	None	None
<b>*** Notes of Significance ***</b> <b>Fires highlighted in yellow have submitted a FINAL ICS-209 or will no longer meet criteria to be prioritized</b>																	
	NV-HTF	Slink	Full Suppression	2 mi W of Coleville, CA	26,752	0	84%	9/26/20	T4 Organization	1	1	0	0	0	102	None	Mt Warfare Training Center, wilderness areas, endangered species, SGH, deer habitat
	UT-DPYQ	White Sage	80% monitor 20% Full Supp	10 mi SW of Dugway, UT	6,000	0	100%	9/26/20	Type 4 IC P. Carnahan	0	0	0	0	0	11	None	

## Evening Brief

Date: Monday September 21st, 2020

### Weather Summary

**\*\*\* High Risk for Gusty Wind/Low Humidity Tuesday in Western NV and Wrn ID \*\*\***

Drier and somewhat warmer air moves into the Great Basin from west to east today with near seasonable temperatures. However, some moisture from Arizona has moved into southern and eastern Utah, bringing scattered showers and thunderstorms, mainly to the higher terrain east of I-15. There will be locally breezy conditions (15-25 mph) across Western Nevada and the higher terrain of Idaho both Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons

By Wednesday, high pressure briefly builds into the Great Basin, with drier humidity and temperatures several degrees above normal. However, a cold front will push down from the Pacific Northwest Thursday into Friday, bringing a slight cooldown, but also gusty southwest winds over 30 mph to much of the Great Basin. and scattered showers across the Central Mountains of Idaho, which should receive just a low-end wetting rain (up to a tenth of an inch) in far northern areas of the Payette and Salmon Challis Forests.

Afterwards, computer models show an unusually strong high pressure ridge building across the entire western US this weekend into much of next week, bringing unseasonably warm and dry conditions to the entire Great Basin.

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### Fuels/Fire Potential

Recent moisture and cool temperatures across northern and eastern areas has raised fuel moisture considerably. ERC's, which just a few days ago were at record dry levels across Idaho, Wyoming and eastern Utah, have rapidly fallen back to near late September normals.

Otherwise, fuels will remain critical over most of the southern half of the Great Basin under drier conditions. Scattered showers in southern and eastern Utah Tuesday may moisten fuels a bit more in those areas. Light precipitation across Central Idaho into Western Wyoming could raise fuel moisture even more by Friday.

Live Fuel moisture in low elevation brush remains critically dry, between 60-100% in most areas, which correlates with extreme fire behavior.

In the long range, much above normal temperatures and very dry conditions by the end of the weekend into next week will bring about more rapid drying of fuels in most areas across the Great Basin. Fuels in the Western half of the Great Basin could once again reach near record level dryness.

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## Preparedness Levels & Great Basin Fire Activity (from WFDSS)

Great Basin	PL 4	Light Initial Attack Activity
National	PL 5	New Fires and Acres: 10 fires for 243.2 acres. 507 acres Large Fire Growth

## Resources:

### Aviation within the Great Basin

- 1 VLAT, 6 LATs, 2 CL-415
- 23 SEATs, 2 FB, 14 AA, 2 ASM, 0 LP
- 10 Type 1 Helicopters / 10 Comm.
- 9 Type 2 Helicopters / 7 Comm.
- 21 Type 3 Helicopters / 19 Comm.

### Crews Committed within the Great Basin

- 13 IHCs / 0 Available
- 12 Type 2IA / 0 Available

## Current Incident Details

Today's Activity (from WFDSS):

Incident Name	Unique Fire Identifier	Size	Status	Latitude	Longitude	Pt. Of Origin Sage Grouse Habitat
Alvin Ricken	2020-ID1BN-000251	115	Not Contained	42.84977	112.4142	NO
Rawlings	2020-NVECFX-010331	1.4	Controlled 09/21/20	40.73458	115.6545	NO
WHITNEY 2	2020-NVSND-501550	16	Controlled 09/21/20	36.54537	114.1803	NO
HWY 25	2020-UTRID-200613	0.1	Controlled 09/21/20	38.49887	111.8041	PHMA
I-80	2020-NVECFX-010330	0.1	Out 09/21/20	40.83372	115.7935	NO
WHITNEY 1	2020-NVSND-501549	0.5	Controlled 09/21/20	36.54073	114.1759	NO
Upper Broads Fork	2020-UTUWF-000976	0.1	Not Contained	40.59991	111.7236	NO

\* Fires occurred previous night, not today

For additional information go to: [Great Basin Coordination Center Web Site](#)